### **Riparian Shrublands**

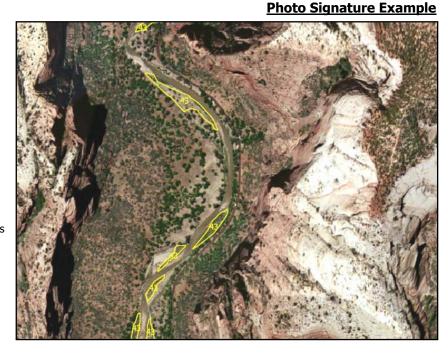
### 43 *Baccharis emoryi* Shrubland Emory Seepwillow Shrubland

#### Associations:

-Baccharis emoryi Shrubland

# Common species: Baccharis emoryi Equisetum variegatum Melilotus officinalis Salsola tragus Muhlenbergia asperifolia Poa pratensis

## Project Specifics: Frequency = 121 total polygons 96 polygons ZION, 25 polygons Environs Area = 66 total acres 53 acres ZION, 13 acres Environs Average Size = 0.5 acres



### **Description:**

Seepwillow was common in Zion Canyon and along other streams in the southern portion of the project area growing on flat streambanks or stream terraces. In these situations, this map class often occurred in a mosaic amongst mature *Populus fremontii - Fraxinus velutina* Woodland. On the aerial photos, seepwillow ranged from green to gray depending on amount of leaf cover. The location of this type on sandbars and sandy beaches helped locate and delineate it.

### **Ground Photo**

